- 3 section one hereof, upon its own motion as upon the complaint in 4 writing being filed as therein required.
- SEC. 3. Record of proceedings. It shall be the duty of the secretary of the state board of health to keep a complete record, in a proper record book of the board, of all of the proceedings of said board had in pursuance of any provision of this act and of all evidence taken by the board in such proceeding, including as a part of such record the findings and report of the sanitary engineers to be made as provided for in section four of this act. Such record shall be a public record open to the public.
- SEC. 4. Interpretive clause. The provisions of this act shall not be construed as repealing any of the provisions of the law as the same now exists relative to nuisances.
- SEC. 5. Applicability of act. Provided, however, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to the lower four thousand (4000) feet of any stream flowing into a river at a place where such river forms a part of the boundary line of the state.

Approved April 16, A.D. 1923.

CHAPTER 38

CHIROPRACTIC

H. F. 641

AN ACT to amend chapter seven (7), acts of the thirty-ninth general assembly (S. C. C. 1326-a22, 1326-a23, 1326-a25, 1326-a26, 1326-a29, 1326-a30 and 1326-a31), relating to the licensing of chiropractors and the regulation of the practice of chiropractic.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. Qualifications for examination. That the law as it appears in section one (1) of chapter seven (7), acts of the thirty-ninth general assembly be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "is" and before the word "a" in line two (2) in said section the following: "at least twenty-one (21) years of age and", and that said section be further amended by striking out the words "a recognized" as they appear in line three (3) of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the word "an", and that said section be further amended by inserting after the comma (,) following the word "chiropractic" and before the word "giving" in line four (4) the following: "recognized by the board of examiners as a standard school."
 - SEC. 2. Rules. That section four (4) of said act be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "examinations" and before the word "which" in line eleven (11) of said section the following: "and such other rules as they may deem necessary for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and not in conflict with its provisions".

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SEC. 3. Meetings of board. That section five (5) of said act be amended by striking out the words "February, July and October" in 3 line five (5) of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the words "April, August and December" and by adding to said section five (5) at the end thereof the following: "Provided, however, that the April and August sessions of the board may be held at a place other than the Capitol where not less than twenty (20) applications for each such examination on such dates shall have been filed and it appears to the board that the examinations can be conducted else-10 where to the advantage of the state and the applicants, but notice 11 of the place of holding such examination elsewhere than at the Capitol 12 shall be given by a publication once each week for two weeks preceding 13 the time of holding such examination in two newspapers of general 14 circulation in the state."

SEC. 4. Present practitioners—renewals—penalty. That section seven (7) of said act be amended by striking out of lines fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), and eighteen (18) of said section the following: "and shall annually thereafter pay a renewal fee of two (\$2.00) dollars per annum, provided however, the application for such license shall be made within thirty (30) days after the appointment of the board of examiners. Provided, further, that", and inserting in lieu thereof a period (.) and by striking out the small letter "a" as it appears in the word "any" in line eighteen (18) of said section and inserting a capital "A" in lieu thereof. That said section be further amended by adding to the same at the end thereof the following: "Any person who receives a license to practice as a chiropractor in this state under any provision of this act, shall on the first day of January of each year, pay an annual renewal fee of three (\$3.00) dollars and shall be given a renewal certificate by the board. Any person who practices as a chiropractor without having paid such renewal fee shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and in addition to the penalty provided by law, the board of examiners may revoke his certificate to practice chiropractic."

SEC. 5. Standard school. That section eight (8) of said act be amended by adding after the word "college" in line one (1) of said section the following: "Having been approved by the board of examiners" and that said section be further amended by inserting after the comma (,) following the word "chiropractic" and before the word "requiring" in line five (5) of said section the following: "including a course in practical clinical instruction".

SEC. 6. Practice by students. That section eleven (11) of said act be amended by inserting after the period following the word "paid" and before the word "If" in line eleven (11) of said section the following: "Provided, however, that students who have entered upon a regular course of study in a recognized school may practice chiropractic under the direction of a licensed preceptor under such rules as may be prescribed by the board."

SEC. 7. Funds—expenditures. That section twelve (12) of said act be amended by striking out the words "for supplies" as they appear in line thirteen (13) of said section.

- 1 SEC. 8. Publication clause. This act, being deemed of immediate
- 2 importance, shall be in full force and effect from and after its pub-
- 3 lication in the Des Moines Capital and the Des Moines Register, news-4 papers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 18, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital April 21, 1923, and the Des Moines Register April 21, 1923.

W. C. RAMSAY, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 39

DEAD BODIES

H. F. 425

AN ACT to regulate the disinterment of dead bodies of human beings and opening of caskets containing the same or autopsy thereon, without a permit therefor and providing penalty for the violation of this act.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. Disinterment of dead bodies. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation or committee to disinter the dead body of any human being or to open the casket or coffin of such dead body after burial, or to permit an autopsy thereon, or to aid, assist, encourage or to incite any of the foregoing prohibited acts, except upon written application to the state board of health of the state of Iowa or the district court of the county in which the body is buried, and the procuring of a written permit for such disinterment.
- 1 SEC. 2. Application for permit. All applications for permits shall 2 specify:
- 3 1. If it is the request of the next of kin, which shall include either 4 the husband or wife of the deceased.
 - 2. Cause of death.
 - 3. Date of death.
- 7 4. Age at death.

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- 5. Specific cause for application being made for such permit.
- 9 6. Other pertinent information as may be required by the state 10 board of health, or the district court.
 - SEC. 3. Issuance of permit. The state board of health or district court shall thoroughly investigate the reasons set forth in the appli-
 - 3 cation, and in issuing a permit the board or district court shall give
- 4 proper respect for the dead, due regard for the feelings of the rela-
- 5 tives and friends, careful consideration for the protection of the public
- 6 health and public welfare, and in no case shall the board issue a permit
- 7 except under circumstances of extreme exigency.
- 1 Sec. 4. Disinterment for autopsy. Permits for the disinterment of 2 the human dead shall be issued for the purpose of performing an
- 3 autopsy thereon only when such person met death under circumstances